Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Education is the most vital function of a free society; and,

WHEREAS, The future of our nation is only as secure and strong as the intelligence, cooperation and dedication of our young people; and,

WHEREAS, Today's educators are determined not only to provide our youth with facts and skills, but also to develop a commitment to our national heritage, an appreciation of the arts and the humanities, an understanding of diverse cultures and of ourselves as part of the world community, and effective thinking procedures and values need to find workable solutions to problems arising in a rapidly changing world; and,

WHEREAS, The Social Studies represents an invaluable framework for young people to develop knowledge, values, thinking strategies, and social abilities needed to function effectively in the communities in which they live; and,

WHEREAS, Social studies educators are committed to improving the curriculum and their instruction in order to achieve the goals, aims, and objectives of the Social Studies; and,

WHEREAS, The role and importance of the Social Studies and citizenship education are often not appreciated or supported in ways consistent with their real value; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota Social Studies Council has a history of improving the quality of the teaching of the Social Studies:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of March 17-22, 1986, as

SOCIAL STUDIES EDUCATION WEEK

in South Dakota, and I urge professional educators and all citizens to observe this week with appropriate ceremonies and activities including workshops, conferences, exhibits, and public discussion.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Five

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUHDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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